

SPORTING.

"HOCH! DER KAISER!"

How a Wheeling Checker Artist Makes a Delegation From Bellaire Look Like Thirty Cents.

George Kaiser, one of the Big Four checker club, went to Bellaire Saturday night and stacked up against eight of the best players of the Ohio-side towns. Nineteen games were played, and Kaiser won thirteen, drew five and lost but one. Decidedly, he made the over-the-river crowd, with the exception of Frank Pine, resemble thirty cents. The game Kaiser lost was won by Pine, of the Bellaire Young Men's Club team, and between Kaiser and Pine honors were even. The series was played in three sittings. In the first, Mr. Kaiser engaged six players in six games, of which he won five and lost one. In the second, he had seven opponents and played eight games, winning five, losing one and drawing two. In the third and last sitting, he engaged five players, and won three and drew two games. The score in detail was as follows:

PLAYERS.	W.	D.	L.	WON.	DRAWN.	LOST.
Pine	1	1	2	1	0	0
Workman	1	1	2	1	0	0
Beckham	0	1	2	1	0	0
Denford	0	0	4	0	0	0
Lewis	0	0	1	0	0	0
C. Wash.	0	0	2	1	0	0
Woods	0	1	0	1	0	0
Woods	0	0	1	0	0	0
Totals	1	5	13	5	1	0

Of course Kaiser was in high glee yesterday, but just here came a striking example of the irony of fate, when Kaiser lost four straight to Winder, a member of the Wheeling Big Four, after his success at Bellaire.

BOXING.

Uncle Gardner, who has signed to meet Terry McGovern in New York on March 22, has begun training for the bout. This match looks like a bad one for the "Omaha Kid." In the first place, the latter has shown remarkably poor form of late, and his recent performances in the ring have not been of a nature to entitle him to consideration by the Brooklynite. The best he could do with little Harry Forbes a month ago was to hold the Chicago lad down to a six-round draw, while Terry had no trouble whatever in putting Forbes away in a couple of rounds last week. Gardner is slow on his feet, and, although a dangerous man at close quarters, does not class at that game with the renowned Terence. Gardner is not good enough to exchange punch for punch with McGovern, and is not swift enough to keep out of the latter's way. So that the "Omaha Kid's" chances appear rather slim, to say the least, should he persist in his intention of trying conclusions with the miniature whirlwind from the City of Churches. Yet Gardner has supreme confidence in his own ability and, despite the fact that his hands are still in bad shape, has managed to arrange another match between now and the date set for his trial with McGovern.—Cincinnati Times-Star.

The Metropolitan Club expects to match Jack McClelland and Eddie Gardner shortly. It is thought that Eddie has a good show of beating Jack under straight Marquis of Queensbury rules, in what would be their third meeting, he having lost on the other occasions. McClelland doesn't take kindly to these rules.

BASE BALL.

Base ball's dog days are drawing to their close, and the boys who gambol on Fandom's green sward are beginning to exhibit signs of the ante-season interest that always comes tripping on the heels of the gladsome holiday season. The general inquiry is, "Are we going to have a winner this year?" and of course the sanguine ones bob up with the usual stock of January confidence. The plain truth is that it is altogether too early to hazard any predictions, and as for that predictions at any stage of the game aren't worth the paper and ink expended on them. But, like poverty, taxes and some other incidentalities of life's melange, they will ever be with us.

In Eddie Poole, Louisville has drafted an Inter-stater who is destined for a trip all the way up the ladder of base ball fame. His worth as a pitcher was demonstrated by his record with the sixth-place Wheelings of '99; he won eighteen and lost sixteen games, and this in the face of the fact that no other twirler in the league was so over-worked. For weeks he was the only pitcher on the staff who could be depended upon to pitch anything approaching winning ball, and the management made the most of him. And while he willingly submitted to this policy of the club, he was also playing third base, short field, second base, first base and all the outfield positions, being worked in whenever a member of the regular team was temporarily out of play. And he was a star at all points of play. Particularly was his third base play sensational; the local fans insist they never witnessed anything so fast. The cranks here are hoping Louisville will not figure in the 1900 circuit, for then there will be a chance of Poole being returned to Wheeling.

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Lytle are in correspondence with a large number of youngsters. The new leagues and consequent demand for players have not brought about a famine in the domain out of which minor league future stars are secured. Most of the old players are under reserve and will report with a battalion of youngsters for the spring practice. Then will come the weeding out process, and probably some of the veterans will journey down the greased plank for a dip into the pool of oblivion. Of the old players, one, "Tom" Turner, is here, running an engine on the stone construction work at the Baltimore & Ohio depot, under President-Contractor Healy. The alderman's avoidpoulos is decreasing at a most gratifying rate, and he will walk onto the Island diamond this spring on very fine drawn lines.

Cincinnati's drafting of "Jack" Farrell recalls the fact that this speedy player barely escaped wearing the Wheeling uniform last year. He was on the Springfield-Wheeling reserve list, but he and Catcher Graffius were traded to New Castle for First Baseman Kihm and Outfielder Lytle. Kihm lasted about five weeks, and before the season ended Owner Howell (who has since retired) had released Lytle—so he had nothing to show for his dicker. And to add to the agony, Farrell and Graffius always played a marvelous game when they struck Wheeling last season. It was the irony of fate.

SATURDAY'S SHOOT

Attracted Many Visiting Marksmen to This City.

The shoot at Wheeling Park Saturday, under the auspices of local marksmen, attracted a large number of visiting sportsmen from Western Pennsylvania, West Virginia and Eastern Ohio. The Wheeling boys went their full length in providing entertainment for their guests, and the affair was pronounced an unqualified success.

The events scheduled resulted as follows:

First—For the bear won on Christmas at West Alexander by J. F. Shirk, Dreyer, of Steubenville, and Dougherty, of Roney's Point, tied, and in the shoot-off the Steubenville man won; second, Dougherty; third, Robinson, of Roney's Point; fourth, Scott, of Potomac; fifth, Shirk, of Edgington Lane; sixth, Blayne, of Roney's Point.

Second—Frank Shirk, first; Luther Blayne, second.

Third—Dougherty, first; James K. Hall, second.

Fourth—Frank Shirk, first; Luther Blayne, second.

Fifth—Robt. W. Roney's Point, first; Thomas Mead, West Alexander, second.

Sixth—Luther Blayne, first; Richard Stewart, Martin's Ferry, second.

BOWLING.

Wheeling League.

Teams.	Won.	Lost.	Per.	Ave.
Wheeling	35	10	77.8	866
All Alikes	25	10	714	841
K. K. K.	31	14	689	946
Oceolas	28	10	737	945
Emigrants	28	20	588	917
Rough Riders	23	22	511	883
All Routers	17	28	376	888
Kissing Bugs	16	29	354	885
Apollon	10	35	226	778
Kenmore	7	33	166	808

Rader, the K. K. K. star, continues to hold the individual lead in the Wheeling league race, but Rader, of All Alikes, is only three points in the rear, and coming from Stevenson and Howard, the old stars, are close up and very much in the fight. The feature of the past week was the tumble of the Wheelings, who lost two of three to the Oceolas, and are now compelled to share the lead with the All Alikes. Individual averages are as follows:

Emblem, K. K. K., 24, 178; Rader, All Alikes, 36, 175; Stevenson, Wheeling, 42, 171; Handian, Wheeling, 30, 170; Weitzel, Wheeling, 15, 167; Nolte, All Alikes, 36, 166; Gaston, Emigrants, 33, 165; Balzer, All Alikes, 45, 163; Marschner, Wheeling, 39, 162; Knoke, Wheeling, 36, 162; Cochran, All Alikes, 33, 161; Turner, Wheeling, 33, 160; Evans, K. K. K., 39, 159; Plankley, All Routers, 25, 161; Disner, Rough Riders, 5, 160; Scheele, Emigrants, 9, 149; Delbrugge, Rough Riders, 15, 149; Fugate, Oceolas, 15, 148; Wagner, Apollon, 30, 148; Earp, Kissing Bugs, 24, 148; Miller, Kissing Bugs, 45, 148; Frohme, Rough Riders, 12, 148; Henning, Rough Riders, 41, 147; Brash, All Routers, 12, 147; Shanley, All Routers, 39, 147; Ross, Kenmore, 21, 147; Cardona, Oceolas, 9, 146; Bohn, Kenmore, 39, 143; Long, Kissing Bugs, 30, 143; Brett, Apollon, 33, 143; Auber, Apollon, 6, 141; Kempie, Emigrants, 33, 140; Rahr, Kissing Bugs, 42, 139; Patterson, Kissing Bugs, 9, 139; Springer, Kissing Bugs, 27, 138; Oram, Kenmore, 10, All Alikes, 15, 136; Wasmuth, Apollon, 30, 135; Hall, All Routers, 18, 135; Wagner, Kenmore, 24, 132; Moody, Apollon, 27, 129; Rahr, Kenmore, 27, 128; Ritz, Apollon, 27, 126; Hoffmeister, Kenmore, 12, 125; Beisinger, Kenmore, 44, 124; Ehrlich, Wheeling, 13, 123; Howard, Kenmore, 18, 123; Bremer, Kenmore, 15, 117; Mann, Apollon, 9, 108.

Schedule for this week: Monday, Kissing Bugs vs. K. K. K.; Tuesday, All Alikes vs. Rough Riders; Wednesday, All Routers vs. Oceolas; Thursday, Apollon vs. Emigrants; Friday, Wheeling vs. Kenmore.

Musee League.

Averages in the Musee league to date show some big changes. Stuart Falck still leads with 174 to his credit, but several of the boys are hot after him. "Dutch" Wilhelm's work last week brings him up a couple of points, placing him among the leaders, while Ed. Bearley's fine work in getting 280 in one game, raises his average to 155; King, Crescents, 43, 154; C. Mohr, Lenox, 39, 154; Reed, Colts, 30, 154; P. Wilhelm, Sanatel, 42, 153; Fugate, Daisies, 39, 153; Bosley, Tom Moore, 12, 151; Sadler, Sanatel, 33, 151; Norteman, Daisies, 33, 151; Withuhn, Buckeyes, 39, 151; Hores, Brownies, 21, 148; Turner, Tom Moore, 15, 146; Bernhart, Buckeyes, 23, 145; Junka, Brownies, 23, 143; E. Sonderman, Sanatel, 35, 143; H. Wells, Lenox, 27, 143; Disner, Brownies,

35, 142; J. Rader, Sanatel, 21, 142; G. Hannan, Lenox, 42, 142; Coleman, Crescents, 19, 142; Balzer, Crescents, 21, 141; Crumbacker, Crescents, 9, 141; Beckett, Brownies, 18, 141; Zimmer, Brownies, 12, 141; Frohme, Brownies, 14, 140; J. Modar, Lenox, 36, 139; E. Bearley, Crescents, 15, 138; Miller, Sanatel, 18, 138; Edwards, Buckeyes, 30, 137; Hanes, Daisies, 38, 134; J. Wilson, Brownies, 21, 133; McCallough, Brownies, 15, 132; Joe Yahn, Sanatel, 36, 132; Smith, Daisies, 9, 131; Bartholomew, Dulais, 36, 130; Haberdien, Buckeyes, 21, 125; Roeder, Buckeyes, 33, 116.

Musee Handicap.

The Musee management announce that beginning to-day and continuing until further notice, they will give \$5 a week to the person making the highest score on their alleys, with the following conditions: Everybody will be handicapped according to averages in the league, except scratch men, who will be figured on a basis of 160. Persons having no standing in the league will start from scratch. A player can bowl as many games as he wishes, his highest score to count. All scores bowled in the league will also count. This contest is open to every bowler in the city.

CLASH

Between President and Faculty of University of Cincinnati.

CINCINNATI, Ohio, Jan. 14.—This has been a day of anxiety among those connected, either directly or indirectly, with the University of Cincinnati. Following the declaration of President Ayres that the members of the faculty should all resign, and that he would then accept such resignations as he might select, comes a movement on the part of the professors to stand together, and not only refuse to resign, but for all to quit if the trustees, at their special meeting to-morrow, sustain the recent decree of President Ayres. The trustees last year, before electing President Ayres, adopted a resolution giving the president power to appoint members of the faculty and declare vacancies. One of the professors said to-day: "Every bridge has been burned. Even if the trustees should refuse to sanction what has been done, we would decline to be longer associated with Mr. Ayres. One or the other must go!" The students, alumni and others have been industriously conferring to-day with the trustees regarding the crisis.

AMUSEMENTS.

Two better pleased audiences than those that witnessed the presentation Thursday afternoon and evening of "The Adventure of Lady Ursula," never left the Opera House. Mr. William Morris gave the public a dashing debut in "Under the Red Robe," but he scores even a greater success as Sir George Sylvester in "The Adventure of Lady Ursula." Miss Frances Drake, in the title role, captured even the hearts of the feminine portion of her audiences—which is indeed an accomplishment in a woman. The part calls for a diversity of talent that few women could command, but each succeeding advent only served to increase the admiration of the audience for this beautiful woman and talented actress.

"The Adventure of Lady Ursula" is laid in and around London, in 1720. Sir George Sylvester has killed his dearest friend in a duel as a result of a quarrel over a woman, and in consequence he has become a recluse, having sworn to never again look upon a female face. For more than two years at the opening of the play, he has been buried in his house at Edgware, then a suburb of London. Nearby is the home of the Barringtons, an ancient and aristocratic family, and of which Lord Hassenden, Lady Ursula and their cousin, Dorothy, are the principal members. Lady Ursula, curious as to the hermit, pretends to faint on the doorstep, hoping thereby to obtain a glimpse of the strange gentleman. He orders her sent to the porter's lodge, and Lord Hassenden, her brother, imagining that his sister has been insulted, challenges Sir George to a duel. Lady Ursula by every means within her power, endeavors to prevent the quarrel, disguising herself as a boy that she may seek Sir George among men. Dorothy becomes involved in the intrigue in a manner that threatens to break her engagement to Lord Hassenden, but the comedy ends with the reconciliation of the lovers, while Sir George and Lady Ursula are in an attitude that gives promise of an early wedding.

"The Katzenjammer Kids."

"The Katzenjammer Kids." Blondell & Pennessy's newest creation, will be seen at the Grand Opera House for a half week, commencing Thursday night. "The Katzenjammer Kids" have been made famous by the funny cartoons appearing weekly in New York, and if the comedy proves half as laughable as the illustrations a merry jumble of mirth and melody will be the result. The Blondells are capable artists and were last season among the most successful stars on the road. Manager William Pennessy has surrounded them with a high class company including such popular artists as Gilbert Sarony, who will portray the role of "Mamma Katzenjammer"; Mudge and Morton, refined singers and instrumentalists; Al Raymond, dialect comedian; L. V. Vestal, Charles Graham, Sadie Herne, Mammie Morgan, Flossie Hull, Fannie Kirby, May Smith and Harold Schultz.

"The Royal Box."

"The Royal Box," Charles Coghlan's adaptation of Dumas' "Kean," will begin an engagement of two nights and matinee, Wednesday evening, at the Opera House. Mr. Andrew Robson will appear in the role of the actor, Clarence, and Miss Coghlan as "Celia Bryce," with the original supporting company that produced the play in New York last season. It will be presented here with all the wealth of scenic and costume invention that marked the original production at the Fifth Avenue theatre, where it was played for over two hundred consecutive performances. The sale of seats for the engagement opens to-morrow.

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BELLAIRE HAPPENINGS.

Matters of Interest in the Metropolis of Belmont County

This evening, at the First Presbyterian church, will occur the formal installation of Rev. R. S. Coffey as pastor. Rev. J. A. Dunaway, of Bridgeport, will preside as moderator. Rev. J. S. Bogie, of Martin's Ferry, and Rev. Nevin Woodside, of Pittsburgh, will participate in the services. Rev. Walter A. Alexander, of Rock Hill, will deliver the charge to the congregation, and Rev. T. V. Twinkle, of the Second church here, will deliver the charge to the pastor. Rev. Mr. Coffey, as is well known, has been the pastor here for nearly two years, but the formality of being received into the presbytery from Yorkshire, Eng., was only gone through with a short time ago, and the ceremony now is in accord with the regulations provided by the presbytery.

There is now apparently no doubt that the Aetna Glass and Manufacturing Company will start up the plant in lower town that has been idle for several years. It is said Mr. Brim, Battle, a man well informed in the business, will have charge of the office and general management. With this institution in full operation, and the enlargement of all the other industries here, Bellaire is as well fixed in an industrial way, if not better than ever before in the history of the town. There were more glass houses at one time, but it is doubtful if there ever was a time when more persons were engaged in industrial callings.

The Columbus papers indicate that Hon. J. E. Blackburn, state food and dairy commissioner, is likely to be a candidate for a third term, and also suggest other names in connection with that office. This will probably be a good year to get on the ticket in Ohio, and there will likely be many candidates for all the places on it.

William Harris, the colored porter who, while on a spree recently, laid out one cold night and was nearly dead when found, died yesterday at the home of George Peters, where he has been cared for by the township trustees for some time.

There will be a church social at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. W. Dickens this evening. The members of the Episcopal church choir will render a short programme, and the evening will be spent in a variety of social ways.

County Treasurer W. C. Bergundthal was in town last Saturday. When the present tax collection is over, he will be the last tax collector ever made. In this city alone it amounts to about \$27,000.

The double track preparations on the Baltimore & Ohio from here to Cambridge have been completed, and there will be double tracks in use that far the coming summer.

A Cleveland & Pittsburgh brakeman lost a suit of clothes, a watch and some money by his room-mate taking French leave at an early hour Saturday morning.

Mrs. Charles Arnold will entertain the ladies of the First Methodist Episcopal church at her home, to-morrow afternoon, from 2 to 5 o'clock.

Miss Katie Darrah will entertain the ladies of the Country club, together with their gentlemen escorts, at her home, this evening.

The Novelty Stamping Company, one of the most successful manufactories here, declared a 6 per cent cash dividend last week.

The Twentieth Century Club will be entertained by Miss Clara Robinson, at her home to-morrow evening.

BRIDGEPORT HAPPENINGS.

Events of a Day in the Town at the End of the Bridge.

The stockholders of the Progress Building Association held their annual meeting Saturday evening, and re-elected the old board of directors, as follows: Frank Barber, G. J. Davis, S. Woodcock, Robert Giffen, J. C. Dent, J. T. Scott and R. T. Howell. The directors will probably meet this week to elect officers for the coming year.

The German Lutheran church has made arrangements with the German church of Edgewood, to produce the comedy, "A Fisherman's Luck," at the Opera House here, February 6. It was produced in that city a short time ago and was pronounced as being an excellent home talent affair.

One of the special features of the revival services to be held at the Methodist Episcopal church this week will be the chorus of twenty-five voices, which will be present at each meeting.

The funeral of Ethel, the two-months-old child of Mr. and Mrs. Hiram Selbert, took place Saturday afternoon. Interment was at Riverview cemetery.

Mrs. W. O. Cooper returned to her home at Wellsville, Ohio, Saturday, having been called here by the death of her father.

The street car company will put a force of men to work this morning, laying the new switch by the Crystal glass works.

Bridgeport Lodge No. 181, A. F. & A. M., will meet at their hall this evening and install the recently elected officers.

The crystal glass works will resume operations in all departments this morning, after a two weeks' idleness.

Miss Minnie Dawson, of Steubenville, spent Sunday with relatives in Kirkwood.

Mrs. Fannie McCoy, of Steubenville, spent yesterday with friends and relatives here.

Miss Anna Milligan, of Cambridge, spent Sunday with relatives in Brookside.

Charles Dougherty has returned from a business trip to Toledo and Dayton.

Miss Marie Morris, of Bannock, spent Sunday with relatives in Kirkwood.

Elmer Williams, of Slatesville, spent Sunday with relatives in Aetna.

Miss Amy Walker, of Uniontown, is the guest of relatives in this city.

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NOTICE.

I desire to announce to the Republicans of Ohio County, that I am a candidate for County Assessor, Country District of Ohio County, at the primary election.

Your support is respectfully solicited. ja1 **LESTER SMITH.**

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETINGS.

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The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Port Henry Club will be held at the club house on Monday, January 15, 1900, at 8 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of such other business as may come before them. H. F. STALLMAN, Secretary. ja2-3-15

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Intelligencer Publishing Company will be held at the office of the company, No. 27 Fourteenth street, Wheeling, West Virginia, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may come before them. JOHN P. GLASS, Secretary. de29

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING.
Office of Wheeling Steel & Iron Co., No. 11 Fourteenth Street, WHEELING, W. Va., Jan. 6, 1900.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Wheeling Steel & Iron Company (Inc.) will be held at the office of the company, No. 11 Fourteenth street, Wheeling, West Virginia, on Tuesday, the 23rd day of January, 1900, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and the transaction of any other business that may be presented. FRANK W. BOWERS, Secretary. ja6

ASSIGNEE'S SALE.

ASSIGNEE'S SALE OF VALUABLE PROPERTY-HUSCROFT BROS. GREENEY.

By virtue of a deed of assignment made by J. C. Huscroft, W. A. Huscroft and W. G. Huscroft, trading as Huscroft Bros., to the undersigned assignee, dated the 12th day of September, 1899, and recorded in the clerk's office of the county court of Ohio county in the name of Trust Book No. 1, I will on

THURSDAY, JANUARY, 15, 1900.

beginning at 10 o'clock a. m., of said day, sell on the premises, in the Peninsula addition to the city of Wheeling, at public auction, all the following property, to-wit:

One cent leasehold for greenhouse purposes, for the term of ten years and six months, beginning on the 1st day of April, 1897, and ending on the 30th day of September, 1907, to